

## **PUBLIC NOTICE – ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT**

**PURPOSE OF NOTICE:** To seek public comments and announce a public hearing on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality regarding coal combustion residuals (CCR) surface impoundments at the Clover Power Station in Halifax, Virginia.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:** May 8, 2017 to June 23, 2017

**PUBLIC HEARING:** Halifax County Administration Building, 1030 Cowford Road, Halifax, VA, **June 8, 2017, at 7:00 p.m.**

**INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING:** Staff will be available to answer questions during an informational briefing prior to the public hearing held at the Halifax County Administration Building, 1030 Cowford Road, Halifax, VA from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. on the evening of the public hearing. Questions and comments made during this information briefing will not be part of the official public comment record.

**PERMIT NAME AND NUMBER:** Clover Power Station Sludge Sedimentation Basins, Solid Waste Permit No. 622.

**PERMIT APPLICANT:** Virginia Electric and Power Company, 5000 Dominion Boulevard, Glen Allen, Virginia 23060 and Old Dominion Electric Cooperative, 4201 Dominion Boulevard, Glen Allen, VA 23060

**FACILITY NAME AND LOCATION:** Clover Power Station, 4091 Clover Road (State Rd 92) in Clover, Virginia in Halifax County, VA.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** This proposed solid waste permit is to address the retrofit, continued operation, and maintenance of two sludge sedimentation basins which manage station wastewaters, including flue gas desulfurization (FGD) sludge and are therefore coal combustion residual (CCR) surface impoundments, at the Clover Power Station in Clover, Halifax County, Virginia. This proposed permit was prepared in accordance with and includes requirements of the EPA Final Rule on the Disposal of CCR (EPA CCR Rule) and the Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations, which incorporate the EPA CCR Rule. These basins are approximately 4 acres and are lined but will be retrofitted in accordance with the EPA CCR Rule and continue to receive wastewaters and solids. These basins are no-discharge basins and water from the basins is reused at the Station. Solids removed from the basins are disposed of in the on-site landfill. This proposed permit includes the requirements for retrofitting the basins, the EPA CCR Rule, groundwater monitoring, and clean closure of the basins by removal at the end-of-service.

The public may review the draft permit at the DEQ office named in the contact below or at the Halifax Branch Library located at 177 South Main Street, Halifax, VA 24558.

**HOW TO COMMENT:** DEQ accepts comments by hand-delivery, e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period. DEQ also accepts written and oral comments at the public hearing. Comments provided should be sent to the contact identified below.

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